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PATENT APPLICATION

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In re the Application of

Paul M. NEUGEBAUER et al.

Group Art Unit: 1733

Application No.: 09/922,964

Examiner: Steven D. Maki

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For: METHOD OF COMPENSATING FOR RESIDUAL ALIGNING TORQUE (RAT)

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